

# GIS Curriculum for PMGSY

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## **Intended Audience:**

NRIDA YCEs

GIS Nodal Officers (State)

GIS Analysts (State)

### **Module 1**



**Introduction to GIS and Load  
your CSV Data in Qgis**

### **Module 2**



**Georeferencing and  
Create Layers**

### **Module 3**



**Creating GIS Maps and  
Reports**

### **Module 4**



**Functions in QGIS**

### **Module 5**



**Working with Google  
Earth**

# M1- Exercise - 0 - Installation of QGIS



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**QGIS** is a free and open-source software for creating, editing, visualizing, analyzing and publishing geospatial data. With this GIS application, you can create digital maps on your computer, create new spatial information to add to a map, create printed maps customized to your needs and perform spatial analysis.

## Steps to Install:

1. Please download setup for QGIS using following link:  
<https://qgis.org/en/site/forusers/download.html>

2. From the below 2 options, Please select LTR (Long Term Release) stable version of **QGIS 3.10** for all exercises.

**Latest release (richest on features):** Contains the latest features, but may not be bug-free.

**Long term release repository (most stable):** Long term support version with non-changing user interface and API.

Please Note : You do not need to uninstall older version of QGIS if you have any one in your system.

The screenshot shows the QGIS website's download page. The navigation bar includes links for 'DISCOVER QGIS', 'FOR USERS', 'GET INVOLVED', and 'DOCUMENTATION', along with a search bar. The main content area is titled 'Standalone installers from OSGeo4W packages'. Under the heading 'Latest release (richest on features):', there are two download options: 'QGIS Standalone Installer Version 3.12 (64 bit)' and 'QGIS Standalone Installer Version 3.12 (32 bit)'. Below this, under the heading 'Long term release repository (most stable):', there are two download options: 'QGIS Standalone Installer Version 3.10 (64 bit)' and 'QGIS Standalone Installer Version 3.10 (32 bit)'. The 3.10 LTR options are highlighted with a red border.

# Installation of QGIS

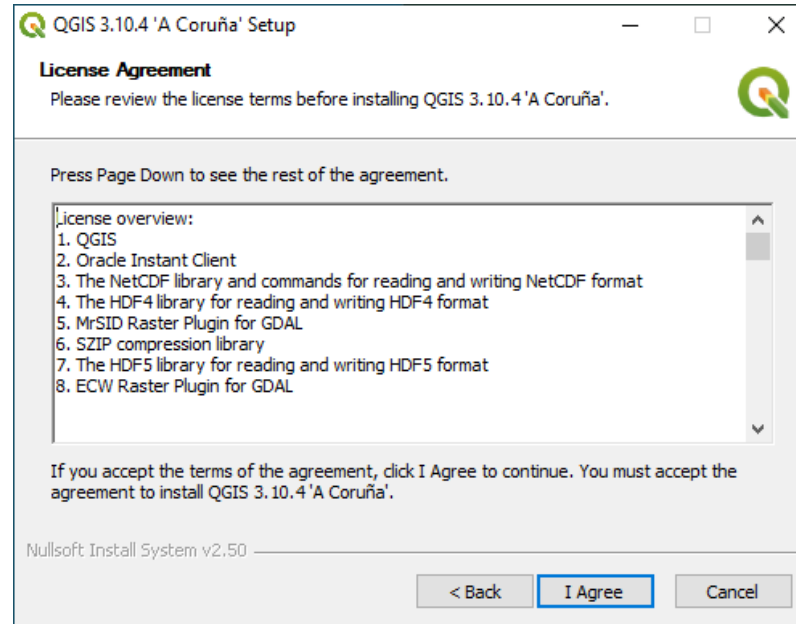


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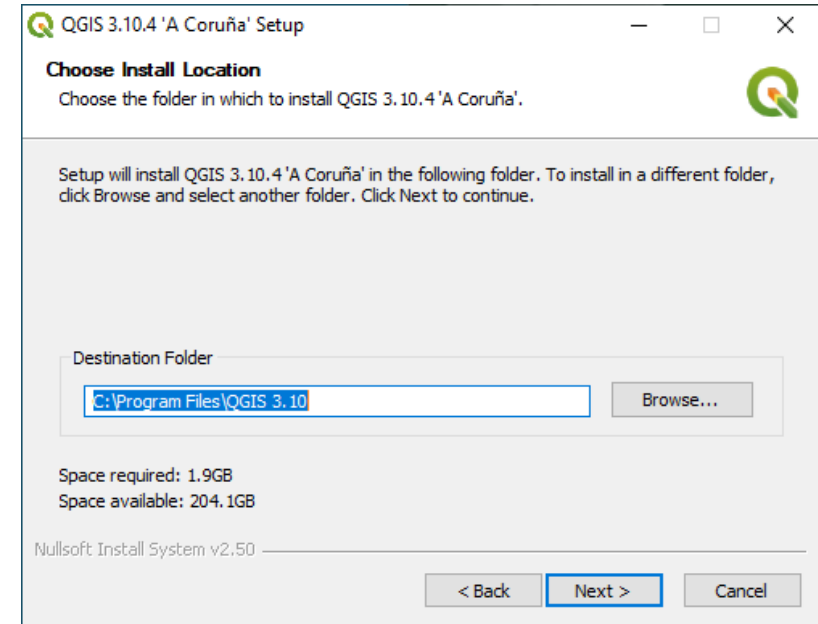
**3.** After downloading the setup file, execute the file and start installation by simply clicking “Next”.



**4.** In next window click on “I Agree” to accepting License Agreement.

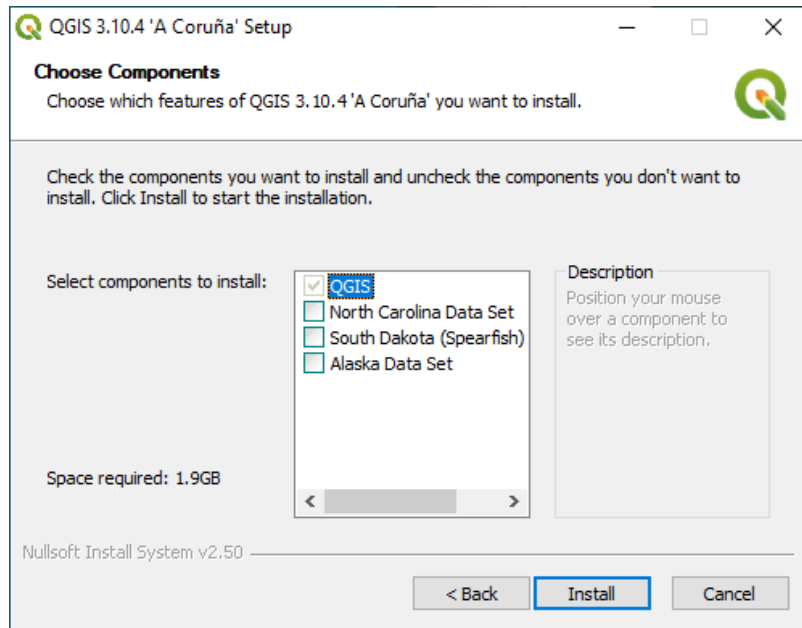


**5.** Don't change destination Folder if it is not required then click on ‘Next’

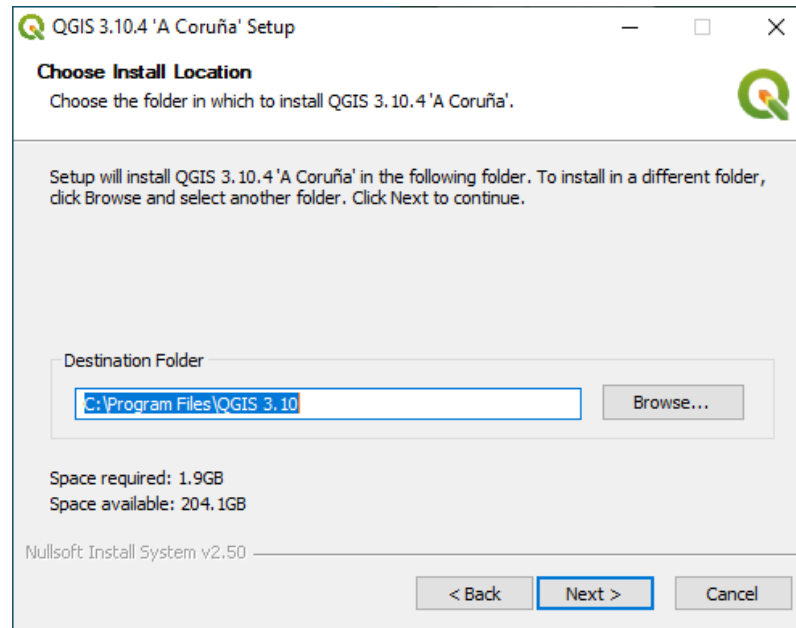


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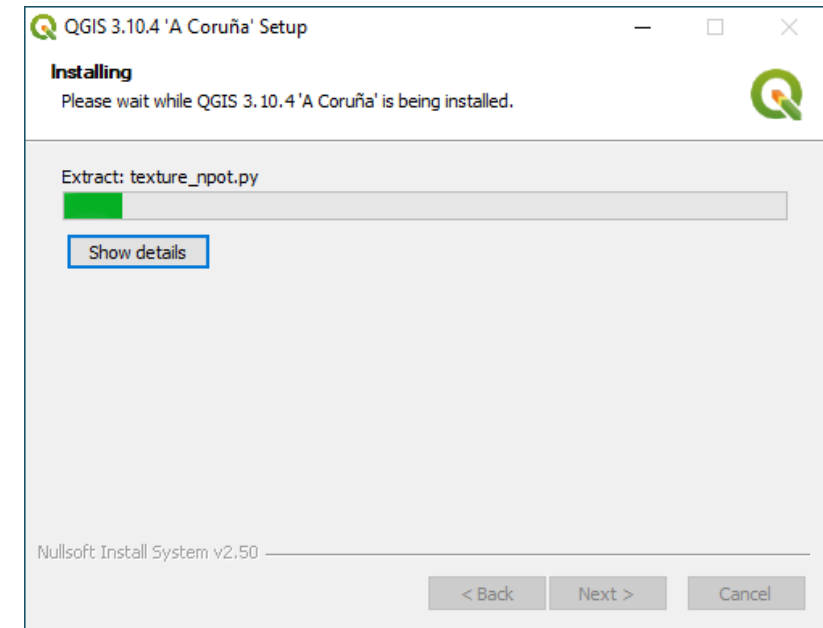
**6.** There is no need to install the additional data sets. Simply click on 'Install'



**7.** Click 'Next' to begin installation



**8.** The installation will take a few minutes to complete

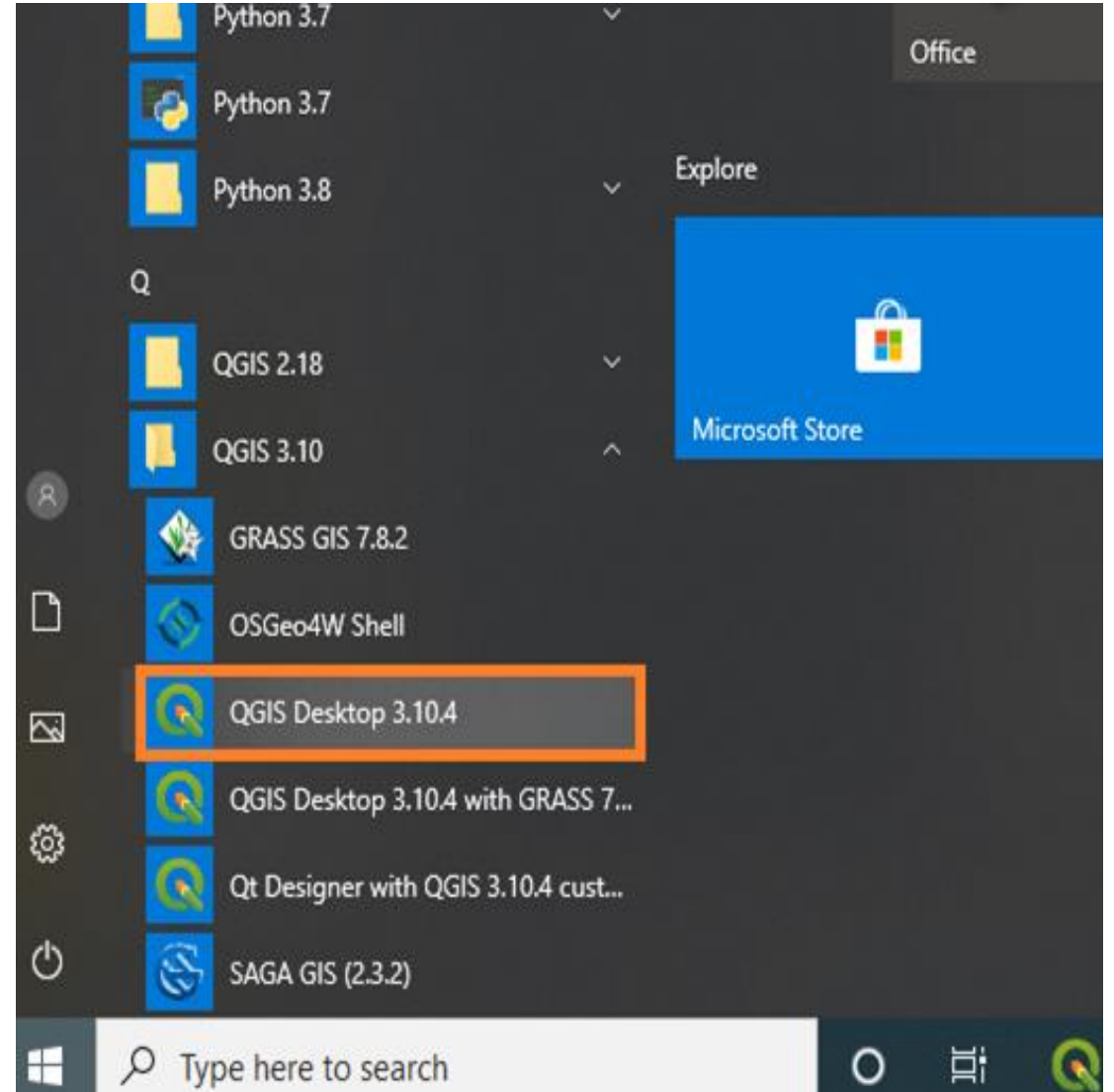


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9. Once QGIS has finished installation
  - Click on the Windows Start icon at the bottom left of your screen and
  - Double click on the QGIS desktop icon to open QGIS

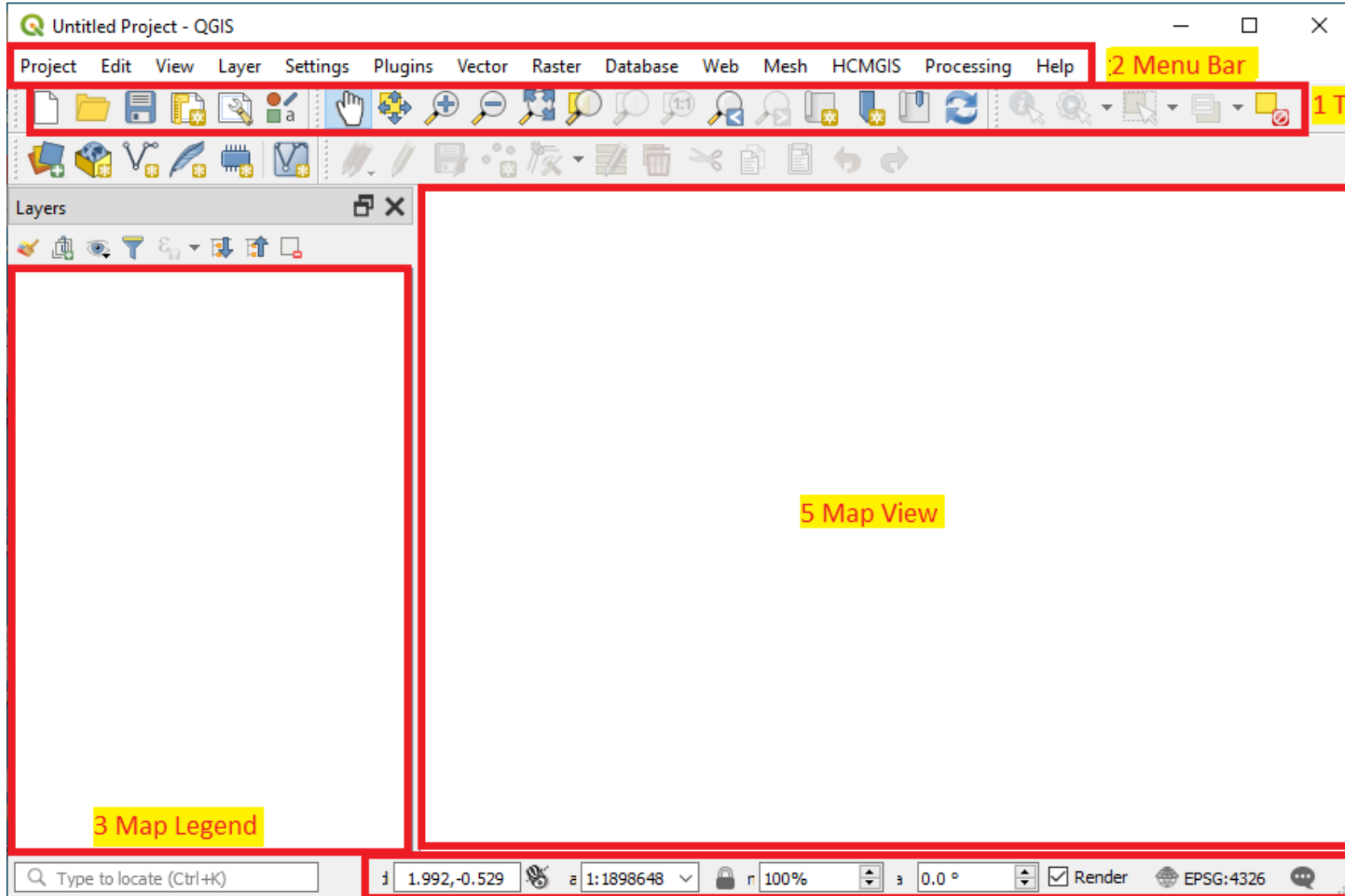


# QGIS – Home Screen

**2 Menu Bar:** Provides access to various QGIS features using a standard hierarchical menu like Project, Edit, View etc.

**3 Data Layer Panel / Map Legend :** Lists all the data layers in the project. This area also allows to change style or label the layer, Grouping and filtering the feature.

**5 Map View:** The map displayed in this window will depend on the vector and raster layers you have chosen to load



**1 Tool Bar:** Provides access to most of the functions as the menu, and some other tools for interacting with the map like Pan, Zoom etc.

**4 Status Bar:** The status bar shows you cursor position in map coordinates, scale and projection.